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2 Overture, "The Night Wanderer,"...Moskow
3 "The Ball of the Hen Coop Knights" .....Laurendeau
4 Waltzes, "Immortellen .....Jos Gurg'l
5 "Rosy Cheeks", Song and Dance. Laurendeau
6 "The Hunt for Happiness," Fantasia .....M. Brande
7 Introduction and Dance (characteristic) .....Th. D. Perkins
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9 "Golden Blond," Caprice.....Eilenberg
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HURRIED TO ETERNITY,

Awful Result of a Tugboat Boiler Explosion.

EIGHT PEOPLE KILLED OUTRIGHT

And a Large Number Injured by Flying Debris—The Disaster Occurs While Crowds of People Are Watching the Efforts of Tugboats to Release a "Stuck" Steamer—Three Lives Lost in a New York Tenement House.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—There was a rumbling noise, a puff of smoke, a shower of missiles, a consternation too great for flight, then eight dead and many wounded human beings were lying on the shore or sticking or struggling in the foul water. The scene immediately preceding this had been interesting enough in its way, and a crowd had gathered at the Archer avenue bridge over the south branch of the Chicago river. A steamer was stuck fast in the draw and four tugs with ropes stretched taut were pulling vainly to get her free. The tug C. W. Parker was one of these. Her boiler burst and when the debris had settled and the smoke had cleared away nothing was left of her but the prow.

When the Explosion Occurred.

The explosion occurred with awful suddenness, and for several seconds those who witnessed it were paralyzed, and forgot to escape from the impending destruction by the flying missiles which filled the air. When the explosion occurred the C. W. Parker was in midstream, and about forty feet from the stern of the Pickands on the latter's starboard side. A terrific storm of pieces of woodwork, deck-fittings, ironwork, and fragments of machinery tore through the air with the violence of bombshells. Showers of cutting splinters swept in all directions. With the tug disappeared the master, James B. Carter; John C. Moore, the engineer, and Samuel Armstrong, the cook. Joseph Cullen, the fireman, and Henry Bell, a deckhand, were thrown into the water, but not before they had both received injuries.

Rescue of Two of the Men.

Cullen was fearfully burned and scalded, as his position in the firehold caused him to be deluged with escaping water and steam. He was rescued by the crew of the tug Van Schaick, the captain of which with great promptness cast off his towing rope and went to the rescue. The crew of the Pickands immediately lowered a boat and pulled to the spot, but by that time Bell had paddled to the west bank and was drawn out by willing hands. Of all the crew of the ill-fated tug he is the only one who stands a chance of life. He was badly scalded about the hands and face and his left leg is temporarily paralyzed. The shattered boiler of the tug was lifted bodily and hurled a distance of 500 feet through the air, landing in a heap of rubbish in the Union rolling mill works on the west bank. The boat's anchor was also thrown with irresistible force a distance of about four hundred feet and landed in Archer avenue.

Three Killed by One Fragment.

A large piece of the furnace door was shot out of the wreck and crushed down amid the throng of people who crowded the eastern abutment of the bridge on Archer avenue. It struck Mrs. Mary Rice and her daughter Barbara. It mercilessly crushed the life out of the mother, while inflicting a mortal wound in the little 18-months-old child at her side. An unknown man, whose appearance bespeaks the occupation of a mechanic, was also stricken down in death close to Mrs. Rice. The sudden rain of death-dealing fragments having ceased the uninjured crowded around the dead bodies.

The List of Dead.

The eight persons killed outright were: James B. Carter, captain of the tug Parker, residence 53 Pine street, married, but no children; John C. Moore, Highland Park, engineer of the tug Parker, unmarried; Samuel Armstrong, Manistee, Mich., cook of the tug Parker, recently came to Chicago; Samuel Sawyer, 3435 Bloom street, switchman in the employ of the Union Rolling mill of the Illinois Steel company, recently married, aged 21 years; Bartholomew Curtin, 3239 Paulina street, 10 years old; Mrs. Mary Rice, 3013 Archer avenue, 23 years of age; Barbara Rice, 18 months old, infant daughter of Mrs. Mary Rice; unknown man about 30 years old, had a brown mustache, dark complexion and wore navy blue coat and vest and blue jeans trousers.

HOLOCAUST IN NEW YORK.

Four People Burned to Death and One Other Fatally Injured.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—A fire occurred in the five-story tenement house at the corner of Hudson and Dominick streets, shortly after 2 o'clock Monday morning. All the occupants except five persons were rescued with difficulty. William Murphy, his wife and two stepchildren occupied the fifth floor. Mrs. Murphy climbed through the top door of the roof, her clothing being in flames. There she burned slowly to death. Her charred corpse was found on the roof by the firemen. Josephine Ryan, a 5-year-old child who was visiting the Murphy family was burned to death in her bed. Two stepchildren of the Murphy's, Martin and John Toughey, were severely burned and their recovery is doubtful. The pecuniary loss is small.

Two More Victims.

LATER—Katie Dunn, aged 20, who boarded with the Murphys, was found in her bed asphyxiated by smoke. John Toughey died shortly after being taken to the hospital. The fire started in a wood shed in the basement, and quickly igniting the gas meters the flames rushed up the elevator shaft to the top floor, where the Murphy family lived.

Pennsylvania Mine Horror.

POTTSVILLE, Oct. 5.—By the explosion in Richardson colliery John Magasky, a Polander, was killed, and James Grant and Thomas Conville seriously injured. The men entombed in the mine are: Thomas Clancy, John Lawler, James Simmons, Michael Welsh, and John Pursell, all married, and John Cusick, a Polander, single. There is no hope of recovering them alive.

Woman Burned to Death.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct 5.—Mrs. Hannah Evans, aged 52, was burned to death at her home on East Thirteenth street. Her clothing caught fire while she was lighting a pipe.

Four Men Drowned.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 5.—Two freight cars were run off the transfer steamer Charles Marian and drowned four men. The cars were loaded with wheat and flour. Two tramps were in each car. The train was backed with more than ordinary force into the boat, causing the hind cars to break over the bumpers and pitch headlong into the water.

VETERANS WILL MISS HIM.

Captain Eli Foster, an Attache of the Libby Prison War Museum, Is Dead.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Captain Eli Foster died at his home, 119 Thirty-third street. Since the Libby Prison War museum was opened here Captain Foster had been employed as one of the guides. He was one of the 109 officers who escaped through the celebrated "tunnel," and his vivid description of his experiences connected with prison life and his final escape constituted one of the most entertaining feature of the war museum. Captain Foster was born in Pennsylvania in 1827. He served as a lieutenant through the Mexican war. When the war of the rebellion broke out he was living in Goshen, Ind., and was one of the first to respond to the call for volunteers to defend the Union.

Sent to Libby Prison.

He was one of the organizers of company I of the Thirtieth Indiana infantry, and went out as its first lieutenant. At the battle of Chickamauga, Sept. 20, 1863, he was captured and taken to Libby prison. His life in prison and the hardships attending his escape shattered his health, and notes in some of his manuscripts indicate that death was not an unwelcome guest. He had been engaged for some time in preparing a sketch of his prison life, but as his health grew more feeble he was forced to abandon his work to a great extent. Captain Foster was 64 years of age at the time of his death and leaves a widow. He was a member of the National Association of Union ex-Prisoners of War and of the recently organized Libby Prison Tunnel association.

BOSTON WINS THE PENNANTS.

Both the League and Association Clubs Are the Victors

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—The League base ball season ended Saturday, the clubs standing in the following order: Boston, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Brooklyn, Cincinnati, Pittsburg. There is great dissatisfaction over the result, as many think Chicago was beaten out of first place by a conspiracy. The Association season has not closed yet, but Boston is so far in the lead that it is impossible to wrest the pennant from that club.

Saturday and Sunday Scores.

Following are the scores that closed the League season: At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 3. At Chicago—Cincinnati, 15; Chicago, 9. At New York—New York, 7; Brooklyn, 3. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 6; Pittsburg, 4.

The following are Saturday and Sunday Association scores: (Saturday) At Boston—Boston, 6; Washington, 2. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 6; Louisville, 5. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 2; Athletic, 8. Milwaukee-Columbus game prevented by cold weather. (Sunday) At St. Louis—(First game) St. Louis, 8; Louisville, 0. (Second game) St. Louis, 3; Louisville, 4. At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 8; Columbus, 4

Shouted for King Humbert.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—A Rome dispatch says that the streets were filled Sunday by people shouting for the king, mingled with cries against the pilgrims and the pope. The day passed off, however, without any violence. In Naples similar scenes were enacted. In Milan the people threatened violence to some foreigners who refused to join in the expressions of loyalty, and in Florence the French residents thought it prudent to remain indoors. Everywhere the greatest devotion was expressed to the royal family and the cause of Italian unity.

Murdered by Tramps.

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 5.—Charles Sturgis and Edward O'Hare, who had boarded a freight train in Buffalo and were coming to Erie to spend Sunday, were attacked by three tramps near Shanghai station and during the fight Sturgis was shot through the body, inflicting a mortal wound. While O'Hare was making a fight to save his comrade's life he was frightfully stabbed. Their assailants robbed and left them to die in a car. When they reached Erie O'Hare managed to get his dying companion out of the car. O'Hare will recover.

The Case of Dr. Briggs.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The New York presbytery assembled for the fall session Monday. The case of Dr. Briggs of the Union Theological seminary, accused of heresy, will come before the body. The indictment against him charges violation of the vows of ordination taken upon his becoming a Presbyterian minister. Utterances of Dr. Briggs during the present year alleged to be contrary to the confession of faith are cited as specifications. Dr. Briggs will conduct his own defense.

A Costly Fire Near Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 5.—Fire Sunday morning destroyed elevator "A" of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company's system at Locust Point, together with 135,000 bushels of wheat and all the machinery. The loss is estimated at about $600,000. It required the utmost efforts of the firemen to prevent the fire from spreading to surrounding property.

London Dockmen on Strike.

LONDON, Oct. 5—The great dock strike began Monday morning and is already rapidly spreading. Trouble is feared between the strikers and the blacklegs, and an extraordinarily large police force is on duty to preserve order. The carmen and others in sympathy with the discontented dockers have also gone on strike.

Lucy Was a Moonshining Terror.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va, Oct. 5—Lucy McClue, aged 24, known for eight years as one of the most persistent and daring of moonshiners, has been captured after a desperate chase by a United States marshal and is now in jail at Charleston. She is a woman of great nerve and is a fine shot.

The Veiled Prophet at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 5.—The city was gaily decorated Monday. The Veiled Prophet reached the city by steamer about 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and assumed his reign over the place. Troops greeted him with salutes, and there was a grand parade to the city hall

Iowa Mayor Impeached.

HAMBURG, Oct. 5.—The bitter fight between the city council and Mayor C. McFarland has terminated in the impeachment of the mayor and his removal from office.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

News Notes and Gossip from Washington City.

OFFICIALS OF THE NEXT HOUSE.

Chaplain Milburn and File Clerk Finch Seem to Have a "Cinch" on Their Jobs—First Bell Ever Rung in the New World To Be Exhibited at the Columbian Exposition—Report of the Commissioner of Education.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—About the only officer of the house of representatives who has any hopes of retaining his official place is the chaplain, Rev. W. H. Milburn. This is, or will be, a victory for Illinois, as the "blind preacher" is credited to that state. It might be said, in passing, that the selection of the chaplain, while an elective office, will have no appreciable effect upon the candidacy of Mr. Springer in the speakership race. The pay of the chaplain is only $900 a year—not a very great sum, it is true, but considered a pretty good equivalent for three minutes' work a day, rendered only during the session.

The File Clerk.

It would not be hazardous, too, to say that another Illinoisan has a "cinch" on his place, and it is the most important position held by one coming from the state. Colonel Ferris Finch is the man and his official title is file clerk. It pays $3,250 a year. He has held the office for twenty years or more, weathering all political gales, and is the one man connected with the house who knows where to find all the old and musty documents and papers frequently called for during a session. In his particular line he is "an authority." He doesn't care what political party runs the house nor who may be elected speaker; there is no successorship in the file room.

IT IS LITTLE, BUT OLD.

The First Bell Rung in the New World To Be at the Fair.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—One of the antique features of the World's fair will be a small bell which "has the record" of being the first bell ever rung in the New World. It is of bronze, 8 inches high and 6½ inches across the mouth, and bears on its surface the image of St. Miguit and the letter "F" in old Gothic. It is supposed that it was a present by Ferdinand of Spain to Colombus, the Gothic "F" being considered to indicate that much.

History of the Bell.

The history of this bell is of record, and in brief is that it first hung in the belfry of the church built by Columbus at Isabella, San Domingo. Isabella was abandoned in 1494, one year after its foundation, because the soil was richer in the interior, and La Vega was founded, to which everything portable—and presumably the church bell—in Isabella was moved. La Vega was destroyed by an earthquake in 1562 and for 300 years no one saw the bell, when it was discovered in the branches of a tree which had picked it up from the ruins and lifted it as it grew. Since then the bell has been preserved as a relic, and its custodian has permitted it to be brought to this country. It is now in this city.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.

Number of Pupils and Teachers and What It Costs.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The annual report of W. T. Harris, commissioner of education, has been submitted to the secretary of the interior. He reports that there were enrolled in 1889-90 in the public schools of the United States of elementary and secondary grades 12,650,973 pupils, as against 9,867,505 in 1880. The enrollment formed 20.27 per cent. of the population of 1890. The average daily attendance of pupils on each school day in 1890 was 8,144,939.

The Cost Per Capita Increasing.

The whole number of public school teachers the last year was males, 135,602; females, 238,833. The total amount expended during the past fiscal year for public school purposes was $140,277,484, as against $63,396,655 in 1870 and $78,094,687 in 1880. The expenditure per capita of population in 1880 was $1.56, while in 1890 it was $2.24. The total value of grounds, buildings and apparatus of educational institutions for 1890 was $72,894,729, while the amount of permanent productive funds was $74,070,410. The total income (excluding benefactions amounting to $6,000,474) was $10,801,018.

Will Demand Indemnity.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—A correspondent of the New York Herald writes to that paper: I am officially informed that the president intends demanding indemnity of Spain for outrages committed on American missionaries in the Caroline islands. The wrongs complained of are that the Spanish officers in control of the islands have permitted the churches of the Protestant missionaries to be burned and the ministers and their families harassed and subjected to all sorts of indignities, even to having their lives endangered. It may be that Spain will demand the withdrawal of the missionaries on the ground that they teach principles contrary to those of the established church of Spain and her possessions. This would be complied with, but that would not absolve Spain from liabilities for damages already done.

Presented His Letters of Recall.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—M. Roustan, the French minister to the United States, who was recently recalled by his government, appeared at the executive mansion Monday morning and officially presented his letters of recall to President Harrison. The president made a short speech, in which he expressed his regrets at the loss of the minister. M. Roustan was accompanied by Chancellor Bauful of the French legation. The ex-minister is expected to leave for France in a few days.

Will Sell His Fast Horses.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Oct. 5.—P. C. Stire, the Methodist preacher who was suspended by the Methodist Episcopal conference here recently for raising fast horses, has purchased a high grade safety bicycle, and will sell his horses and apply for admission to the conference next year.

Gold from Europe.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The steamship La Touraine which arrived from Havre bringing $3,488,000 in gold. The Kaiser Wilhelm II from Southampton brought in gold $1,000,000.

THE COUNTRY "WHENCE HE CAME."

A Chinese Exclusion Case Decided by the President.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The president has directed that Chong Sam, a Chinaman, be deported to China as the country "whence he came," instead of to Canada, whence he really did come, Chong Sam having crossed from Canada to Port Huron, Mich., July 1. Secretary Foster ordered the Chinaman to be deported to China.

Refused a British Request.

Pending the carrying out of this order the British minister asked that action be deferred so that he could institute an investigation as to whether or not Chong Sam, being a resident of Canada, was not entitled to the protection of the British government. As a result of this investigation the British minister asked that Chong Sam be pardoned. This the president refuses and directs that he be returned to China as the country "whence he came."

Why It Was Not Granted.

In refusing to grant this pardon the president says that if this were a single case he would with pleasure comply, but that the case involves the whole question of the success and enforcement of the exclusion law. The president says further: "If Chinamen can land in Canada and suffer no other penalty for crossing our line than that of being returned to Canada, from whence they may again repeat their attempt to enter our territory, our law becomes practically a dead letter."

A MAGNANIMOUS EX-CONVICT.

He Helps His Wife Out of a Matrimonial Difficulty.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 5.—A romantic story of self-sacrifice on the part of an ex-convict comes from the court of chancery. It grows out of divorce proceedings in progress in Master in Chancery Whitehead's office between George Wolf and his wife Mary. He married her fifteen years ago, but within a year had been sentenced to a ten-years' term for highway robbery. Mrs. Wolf was informed that her husband's imprisonment severed their marital relations and in the course of years she loved and wedded again. Her new venture was a happy one. Her convict husband was released at the expiration of his term. He learned that she was living in New Brunswick with her second husband and followed her there.

Concludes to Let Her Be Happy.

There were angry words when they met, but she explained to him how she wedded a second time, and pictured her happiness to him and begged him to leave her and her family undisturbed. Wolf magnanimously consented, and began the present proceedings in chancery for divorce. She is cited to appear by her first husband's name, and her present husband is in blissful ignorance of the fact that she is yet the wife of another man.

RAILWAY COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

Suggestions as to Settlement with the Debtor Railways.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The annual report of Mr. Taylor, commissioner of railroads, was handed to the secretary of the interior Saturday. The commissioner gives a statement of the financial condition of the bonded railroads (the Union Pacific and others) and says that the increase of their debt to the government is not owing to their failure to comply with the laws. They pay yearly all the laws require them to pay. The trouble is that the percentages required by law to be paid do not create a sum equal to the interest the government has to pay on the subsidy bonds.

The Roads Must Have Time.

He then urges that a commission of government employes be appointed to consider the situation in the same spirit as a business man would with a private debtor, with the object of arriving at some arrangement by which the government can get what is due it without bankrupting the roads. Some plan of refunding, he says, is necessary to give the railways time to meet their obligations to the government.

TELLS A BLOODY STORY.

Terrible Massacre of Men, Women and Children in Mexico.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex, Oct. 5.—John H. Parton, an American, who for the past two years has been engaged in the mining business near Metztitilian, situated in the state of Hidalgo, Mexico, arrived here yesterday, bringing information of a bloody Indian outbreak which has for sometime been in progress in the district of Tulamengo in that state. The trouble is an outgrowth of a dispute between several colonies of Spaniards and Germans and the Indians.

Tried to Occupy Indian Lands.

The new settlers attempted to settle on the land of the natives. The Indians resisted their attempts to evict them, and much bloodshed has resulted. Mr. Parton says that a few days before his departure a settlement of whites was attacked by the Indians, and nearly 200 men, women, and children were massacred. Several battalions of troops are on their way to the scene of the trouble.

Britons Buying American Cars.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—In the matter of railroad cars England is becoming so much Americanized that it is sending over here to have us build them. The steamship Tower Hill, of the Wilson line, which sailed Saturday morning, carried a complete train of six drawing-room cars for the Southeastern railway. They are altogether American except in size. They were built by the Gilbert Car company, and are necessarily smaller than American cars because of the smaller tunnel through which they will pass.

Arrival of "Bike" Champions.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The champion bicyclists of England, Richard Howell, William Wood, Arthur and Alfred Robb, George Edhu and William Lamb, and M. I. O'Flanagan, the Irish champion, arrived on the steamer City of Berlin Saturday to take part in the first six-days international race ever given in America, which takes place in this city Oct. 18 to 24. Ralph Temple, the American professional champion of Chicago, has telegraphed his entry in the race.

Foreign Cheap Labor in England.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—The employes of the mantel making establishments in the various English cities are excited over the reduction of wages which has been brought about, as they allege, by the influx of Jewish workers from the continent. The Hebrews have nearly captured the whole of this class of work. Wages have fallen to an average of 7 shillings per week. A general movement against the foreign cheap labor is mooted.

MRS. LESLIE MARRIED,

The Well-Known Publisher a Widow No Longer.

AN ENGLISHMAN GETS THE PRIZE.

The Fair Americaine Surprises the Watchful Press Fiend and Quietly Becomes Mrs. Wilde, and Sister-in-Law of the Æsthetic Oscar—Her Husband a "Literary Fellow" and Journalist of Ability and Note—The De Leuville Incident.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—There was a surprise in store for Rev. Dr. Charles F. Deems after the simple services which he conducted last evening at the Church of the Strangers in Mercer street, near Eighth. Mrs. Frank Leslie, the publisher, and William C. Kingsbury Wilde, a stalwart young brother of the æsthetic poet, Oscar Wilde, were among the congregation. Mrs. Leslie was plainly dressed and looked youthful, but not so youthful as her six-foot, black-bearded, black-eyed escort. Dr. Deems apparently noticed their presence, but he was unaware of their mission.

The Doctor Hears Some News.

They had not come entirely to hear the doctor's sermon. Dr. Deems had pronounced the benediction and was descending the pulpit stairs when he was halted by the sexton. Mr. Wilde had previously spoken briefly to the sexton. The substance of his remark was that Mrs. Leslie was going to be married. The bridegroom was to be Wilde. The congregation, which was small, was out of the church when the doctor, who is the editor of Mrs. Leslie's religious monthly, received the announcement of Mrs. Leslie's intention.

Joined in the Church Parlor.

He asked if the couple, who had stepped forward, wanted to be married in the church or in the church parlor. They preferred the parlor, and thither they went, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Cramer and Marshall P. Wilder, the humorist, who is a staunch friend of Mrs. Leslie. The bride and groom preferred the service of the Church of England. The ceremony was begun at 9:30 o'clock and concluded within ten minutes. The bride and groom then left the church, and with Mr. Wilder and Mrs. Cramer got into the barouche in which they had been driven to the church and drove off.

QUITE A LITERARY FELLOW.

The Groom Well Known in the Field of Journalism.

Mr. Wilde, who is a writer on the London Telegraph, is the eldest son of the late Sir William Wilde, M. D., of Dublin. He has known Mrs. Leslie for some years. Mr. Wilde arrived from London on the steamer Havel last Thursday, and has since been stopping at the Hotel Brunswick. He is well known to literature, having published a book of poems and accomplished other literary work. In 1875 he was made a member of the Irish bar, but a predilection for a literary life caused him in 1878 to go to London, where he became editor of Vanity Fair.

A Friend of Edwin Arnold.

He was also a contributor to London Punch and was a special writer for Edmund Yates, of The London World. His literary career was greatly aided by Sir Edwin Arnold, author of "The Light of Asia," a warm and personal friend. When Sir Edwin Arnold was connected with The London Telegraph, Mr. Wilde for eight years was his ablest assistant, first as an interview writer and then as a dramatic critic. Afterward he was a correspondent for that paper in France and Germany.

Came Over to Marry and Write a Book.

Mr. Wilde has written a history of the Parnell commission which attracted widespread attention. "I have," he said, "had two missions to perform in my visit to America. One was to write a book on America, and the other was to marry my wife. I am married, but the book is not ready." Mr. Wilde will remain in America and will take charge of Mrs. Leslie's business as editor and general manager of her publications.

Her Affair with the Marquis.

Mrs. Leslie has had many suitors since her widowhood, but the nearest she came to marrying any one was the Marquis de Leuville. On July 10, 1889, while in London, she and the marquis called at the registry office and obtained a license. The wedding did not come off, however, for some unexplained reason. Later at the vestry in Mount street, Grosvenor square, Aug. 19, 1889, Mrs. Leslie, widow, 38 years, and William Rene Oliver de Court, Marquis de Leuville, had declared their intention to marry, and on Aug. 10, 1890, they had again declared their intention of marrying. Mrs. Leslie had grown one year older during the year, but de Leuville had got a year younger. The marquis admitted all this to be true, but Mrs. Leslie on July 24, stoutly denied it, whereupon the marquis said gallantly that he could not contradict a lady. After this Mrs. Leslie and the marquis ceased to be mentioned as prospective husband and wife.

FOREIGN GOODS FOR THE FAIR.

All Restrictions on Imports To Be Removed from the Exhibits.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—A meeting of representatives of foreign governments and United States treasury officials was held in the office of Secretary Foster at the treasury department Saturday. The importation of foreign exhibits for the World's fair was discussed, and Secretary Foster said that this week a circular letter of instructions, embodying the suggestions made by the foreign representatives as to the importation of goods, would be issued. This circular will direct that consular invoices for exhibits for the World's fair be discontinued and all possible restrictions that cause delay in the transit of exhibits be removed under its provisions. Exhibits can be shipped direct from any place in Europe to the World's fair building in Chicago without examination or inspection.

The Liberal Meeting Denounced.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—At a meeting in Hyde park yesterday, attended by several thousand workmen, resolutions were passed denouncing the Liberal federation at Newcastle for having suppressed free speech and neglected the interests of the labor classes in order to give precedence to Irish home rule. It was resolved that the federation was, therefore, unworthy of confidence, and that a labor league should be formed to secure the election of labor representatives to parliament. Bernard Shaw presided.

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TUESDAY OCTOBER 6, 1891.

HAD A LONG SESSION.

THE COUNCIL LABORED FOR THREE HOURS.

Quiet and Steady Before the Meeting—The Council Now Dead Against Special Taxation Where There Are Corner Lots—Parties on Macon Street Dont Desire a Different Sewer for Each Day in the Year—Shaky About Selling Water.

The council was called to order a little before 8 o'clock May, Perl and Watkins of the aldermen were absent. Mayor Chambers was still chasing the festive deer and keeping clear of the "business" bear in Michigan

Watkins and Perl showed up during the reading of the minutes

SPECIAL TAX AN OUTRAGE.

Petitioners owning corner lots on the Marietta street lateral set out that they were assessed too much. They asked that the assessments be set aside because they were oppressive and unreasonable They urged that a corner lot received no more benefit from a sewer than an inside lot The petition was signed by W C Dimock Alex H Sutton Sarah A Underwood and James N Miller. McDonald said the council had no power to do anything in the matter, that the courts would pay no attention to any action taken by the council now Scanlan remarked that some of these ordinances had been rushed through too fast and that an injustice had been done these parties He asked that the matter be referred to the public improvement committee and that perhaps it could devise some way to make things easy for these petitioners. It was so referred.

WANTS MORE TIME.

P. H Hunt asked for an extension of time amounting to 60 days for the completion of the Jasper street sewer. McDonald said that the council should grant the extension only after getting the consent of the bondsmen The prayer of the petition was granted provided the bondsmen were willing.

HUGH CREA'S MANY SEWERS

Hugh Crea set forth that he has been taxed for a lateral sewer in the alley between Wood and Macon He further set forth that he is now long on sewers Mr Crea made a speech in support of his kick against the law He said some of his neighbors had been badly used for himself he did not care so much He and his neighbors have plenty sewerage It is proposed to us a sewer for which his neighbors paid for some time ago The matter was referred to the public improvement committee McDonald made a roar, but it didn't go

A gentleman representing the Assumption Coal and Mining company wanted the city to sell his company water, about two tanks a day Referred to the water company with power to act

The city attorney was instructed to continue the Eldorado street sewer case in the court to the next term

BIDS.

When it came to reading bids Hubert said that the bids ought not to be read until the council knew what the assessments were. He said some recently made were outrages. If we have any more of the kind the contract for construction should not be entered into On motion the bids were opened and read.

For sewer in alley between North Main and North Church streets A. F Gephart, 48 cents a lineal foot, Tuttle & Fuller, 52 cents a lineal foot, Mueller Plumbing & Heating company, 55 cents a foot. A. F Gephart got the contract.

For sewer in alley between North Main and North Water streets A F Gephart, 60 cents a foot Mueller Plumbing & Heating company, 52 cents a foot. The contract went to the Mueller company

For sewer in alley between West Wood and West Macon streets H. Mueller Plumbing and Heating company, 78 cents a foot, A. F. Gephart & Co, 69 cents a foot, Fuller & Tuttle, 73 cents a foot. Gephart & Co. get the contract

For sewer on East Eldorado street from Broadway to Front street, Mueller Plumbing and Heating company, $1 24 a foot Referred to public improvement committee.

Stabbed at Maroa

Saturday night a crowd of roughs made up of fellows from the vicinity of Argenta and Cisco went over to Maroa with the express intention of cleaning that town out Before the battle, however, the gang got tipsy and one man named David Patterson and another named Carlin got excited and came to blows over a game of poker which had been played a long time ago. Carlin knocked Patterson down and began kicking him. Then George Wilson came up and took Carlin off the prostrate man, who then got up and made an assault on Carlin with a knife and succeeded in stabbing him about five times If it had not been for a rib, one of the strokes would have proven fatal, but as things are now the man is not very seriously hurt.

Carlin swore out a warrant for Patterson but he skipped and up till last night could not be found.

One man of the gang named H. E. Kent was unhitching his horse so as to leave the vicinity when he was arrested and fined $3 and costs, $6 in all.

In the beginning of the fracas Carlin knocked about 3 fellows down before he got to Patterson. One of the men was his brother.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—No. 2 wheat, weak: cash 95c; Oct., 95c; Dec., 97⅝c; May, $1.04⅛@¼; No. 2 corn weak, cash, 52⅛@52½c; Oct., 52⅛c; Nov., 47⅝c; year, 42⅛c; May, 41⅞c. No. 2 oats, easy; cash, 26⅛c; Nov., 27c; May, 30⅝c. Mess pork quiet, cash, $9 90@95; Dec., $10.07½, Jan., $12.55. Lard steady; cash, 6 60c, Dec., 6.85c; Jan., 6.92½@95c. Short ribs steady; cash, 7.12½@7.25c; Dec., 6 65c; Nov., 6.95@6.97½c; Jan., 6.55c. No. 2 rye steady at 84c.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

David Grant, a boss in the Gem mines at Wallace, Ida., was stabbed to death by Charles H. Stowe, a miner.

A few years since Jericho was one of the most prosperous villages in Van Buren county, Mich The last building was wiped out by fire.

The first blighting frost of the season visited Fort Dodge, Ia Corn is safe except patches on low ground, late vegetables were damaged.

John Hartman drove over the edge of an almost perpendicular bluff 100 feet high at Warsaw, Ills, and escaped unhurt

Terrance Campbell, who has been on trial at Neosho, Mo, on the charge of murdering his 13-year-old daughter, was acquitted

W J Turner, a plumber, fell from a window of the Academy of Music building at Valparaiso, Ind, and was killed

The Horn Silver mine at 'Frisco, U T, has closed down because the Union Pacific railroad raised ore rates $2 per ton

Three grave robbers at Shanshing, China, were stoned to death by the people

William Patterson, in the state prison at Columbus, O, for attempted murder, has escaped He was employed in the gas house and climbed over the outer wall

William Logan, a Taylorville, Ills, blacksmith, shot William Day, one of his employes, in the right wrist The ball was aimed at Day's head, but he threw up his hand to ward it off Day is in jail.

An Oshkosh, Wis, girl the daughter of a rich and prominent citizen, donned male attire and set out to make her own way in the world She had not gone a block from her home before she ran across a policeman and was arrested

The smoke of the forest fires in the vicinity of Appleton, Wis, is affecting milk cheese and butter

The water in the Madison lakes, Wis, is unusually low The past summer the swamp and overflowed lands about the lakes have dried considerably

A prisoner named Arlington, held in the Cresco, Ia, jail for swindling by collecting money for enlarging pictures escaped by sawing out two steel bars from the window He was wanted in several other places

Ole F Bergen, living near Ridgeway, Ia., lost by fire his entire crop of grain and hay, also two stables and a new granary just completed the previous day Cause unknown

There is talk in Des Moines Ia, of passing an ordinance requiring the tires of all heavy wagons to be three inches wide The narrow tires cut even the brick pavements

A saloon ran in full blast in a graveyard at Carroll, Ia, during the fair

A stock company has been formed at Lettsville, Ia, to bore for gas

May White, the sleeping girl of Munith, Jackson county, Mich, has fallen away from 140 to ninety pounds during her almost continuous ninety days' nap The doctor attending her still believes he can effect a cure

The wives of John Obermiller and John Koch, living upon farms near Bay City, Mich, fell on Tuesday Each broke a left arm and each is 60 years of age

A Delawarean has contracted to furnish 100 tons of cat tails to a firm in St. Louis

In thirty three years $30 000,000 has been expended on London's drainage system

Immense flocks of crows have exterminated the grasshopper pest in some parts of California.

An Anti-Catholic Mobbed.

KENOSHA WIS, Oct 5—A stranger here, Pat Welsh, lectured here in The leen's hall taking for his subject, "Why I left the Roman Catholic Church" A crowd of toughs was present, who frequently interrupted the speaker and threatened his life When he left the hall he was followed by a mob of 150 or more. Stones and clubs were thrown at him, one of which struck him on the head He finally succeeded in reaching his boarding house At 6 o clock the house was surrounded by a mob which was outspoken in threats against Welsh The entire police force was called out to restore order

Evening Things Up.

PHILADELPHIA Oct 5—The interesting announcement is made here that Colonel Forsyth of the United States army, who served on General Philip Sheridan's staff and who is aged about 60 years, is to wed the daughter of Dr Bache one of the old and wealthy families of this city The lady in question is about 30 years of age Colonel Forsyth was in the Pine Ridge battle some time ago Dr Bache, who is about 60 years old, proposes to retaliate upon his military friend, and will marry Colonel Forsyth's daughter, who is also 30 years old

Garibaldi Statue Unveiled

NICE, Oct 5—The statue of Garibaldi, erected in honor of his services to France during the Franco Prussian war was unveiled Sunday by the mayor M Rouvier was present representing the French government and General Canzio represented the Garibaldi family There was a large concourse of French and Italian deputies, and notable civil and military personages, The enthusiasm was great.

Governor Fifer and John R. Tanner.

SPRINGFIELD Ills, Oct 5—The resignation of John R Tanner as warehouse commissioner was promptly accepted by the governor and Jonathan C Willis, of Metropolis, appointed to the vacancy Mr Tanner says he is sorry for his difference with the governor, but insists on remaining free to run for treasurer. Governor Fifer will not talk The affair excites much comment

Betrothed to the Princess Helena.

BELGRADE Sept 25—A report is circulated that the king of Servia has been betrothed to the Princess Helena of Montenegro King Alexander I of Servia was born in 1876, and succeeded his father, King Milan, after the latter's abdication March 6, 1889 Princess Helena was born in 1873

Conflagration at St. Peter, Minn.

ST PETER, Minn, Sept 25—The Union depot, the Kasota hotel, the American Express office, and three small buildings were burned Thursday afternoon. Loss, $75 000

The Soap that Cleans Most is Lenox.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

George F. Richardson, a Democratic member of the Michigan legislature, was nominated by the People's party for congress to fill the vacancy caused in the Fifth district by the death of Congressman Melbourne H Ford.

President Harrison has issued a full pardon for Robert Sigel, son of General Sigel, convicted of forgery

BUSINESS CHANCES.

Notices under five lines will be inserted in this column one week for twenty-five cents invariably in advance.

WANTED.

WANTED—Everybody who wants rooms Papered to come and see me. I have a large stock of wall papers that I will sell at greatly reduced prices for the next 30 days, call soon. T. P RODDY, 550 N. Church st.

WANTED—Bargain seekers to go to the cheapest store in town, Our entire stock of ladies' and children's hose at 5c per pair, Saturday and Monday only, We must make room for our holiday goods which are coming in daily, 99c Store.

WANTED—A Situation as a fireman. Let the work speak for itself. Can give references. Apply at Bommersbach's green house on Spring Ave

WANTED—The people to know that Walker & Chance pay cash for second hand goods, and do a general line of upholstering furniture, repairing umbrellas, chair caning, etc, and good bargains in all kinds of second-hand goods. Walker & Chance, 135-137 North Main street.

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FOR SALE—On time, new furniture, dishes, tables, stoves, carpets, parlor sets, bed room sets, sideboards and many other goods on payments of $2 per week, Apply to J. B. Nooe, with P. B. Provost, 115 N. Water st.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Review Publishing Co will be held at the office of the REVIEW, 122 West Prairie street, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, Monday October 26th, A D 1891, at 1 o'clock p m, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to increase the capital stock of the Review Publishing Co from $12 000 to $15 000

DECATUR, ILL Sept. 24th, 1891
HOWARD C SCHAUB, President.
JERRY DONAHUE, Secretary,

GRAIN AND FEED—A new wholesale and retail grain and feed business has been established at 243 North Main st by Michael Brothers. Hay, grain and all kinds of feed will be bought and sold in large and small quantities Feed delivered to any part of the city.

MONEY—To loan in any amount on real estate, furniture, live stock or any other good security at lowest rates of interest. Office in Ullrich block Geo. H. Scott,

GREAT CUT—In carpets and wall paper at Abel's carpet house.

PUBLIC SALE—We will offer at public sale at our farm three miles west of Lovington Ill on Wednesday Oct 14th 1891 3 full blood and registered Percheron stallions, two three and four years old respectively. Fifteen grade Percheron mares under five years old in foal to registered Percheron stallion Terms On stallions—Interest note time to suit purchaser. On mares—Ten months credit with approved note without interest

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FOR SALE—George M Wood sells all kinds of pumps 135 South Water street Decatur Illinois

FOR SALE—Brick residence, 14 rooms, gas, water and steam heat, 89 feet front, corner North Main and Eldorado, No. 456. C. P. Housum.

FOR SALE—Bay stallion 4 years old next spring sired by, Major Kelsey Dam, Storm Boy Can be seen at Brennemen's stable. J D SMITH, Mt Zion.

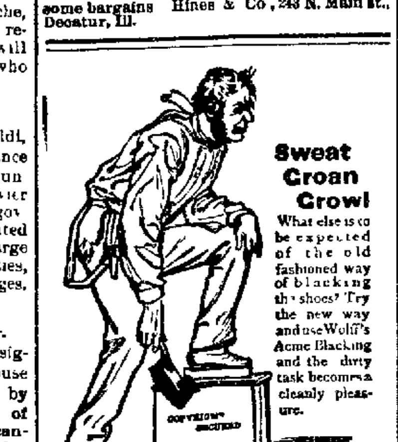
GOOD FARM FOR SALE—A nicely cultivated farm of 100 acres belonging to the estate of E McDaniel deceased, will be sold at public auction on the premises on Thursday Oct 22 Farm is two and one half miles southeast of Boody and is convenient to Elwin and Macon as well Good new 8 room house and good orchard J N ODOR, Executor

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—A lady's black leather pocketbook, containing a school order, a jeweler's check and a small sum of money. Finder will please return to Miss Ella Dixon, 250 East Condit st

LOST—Two $5 bills between Packard street and Bradley's store. A liberal reward will be paid for their return to Allsup's grocery, 1104 N Main st

BARGAINS—Remember you can get bargains at Hines & Co's second hand store 43 North Main st We handle a large line, such as furniture, stoves, tinware, lamps, dishes, cutlery, revolvers, watches clocks, shoes, clothing and in fact everything we can buy or trade for. Our motto is small profits and quick sales Call and see the inducements we will give you Upholstering, furniture repairing and umbrella mending, in connection with our business Give us a call and get some bargains Hines & Co, 243 N. Main st., Decatur, Ill.



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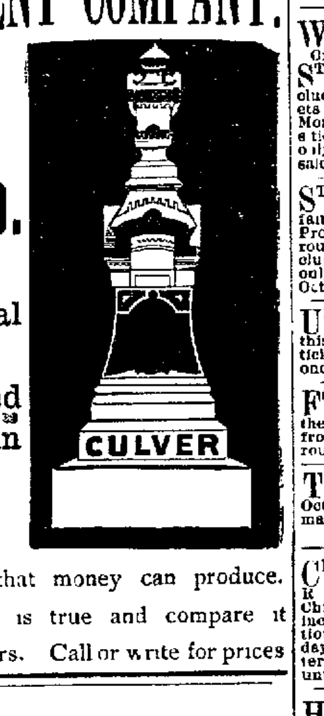

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Margaret Prickett vs Walter Veech, I have levied on all the right title and interest of Walter Veech in and to the following described real estate, to-wit Beginning at the center of section three (3), township sixteen (16), north range three (3), east of the third (3d) principal meridian in Macon county, Illinois, thence North on the quarter section line sixteen (16) chains and sixteen (16) links thence east twenty (20) chains and twenty three (23) links, thence south sixteen (16) chains and twenty-four (24) links thence west twenty (20) chains and one (1) link to the place of beginning, containing thirty-two and 59-100 acres, which I will offer for sale at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, State of Illinois, on Tuesday, October 13, 1891, at 10 o clock a m of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said execution

Dated this 21st day of September, A. D 1891
PETER PERL,
Sheriff of Macon county, Illinois

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TO CHICAGO.		FROM CHICAGO	
No 2	12 05 a m	No. 1 (Ex Sun)	3.50 pm
4	11 25 a m	No. 3	3:25 n
No 6 (Ex Sun)	5 35 a m	No. 5	2 50 p m
TO ST LOUIS		FROM ST. LOUIS	
No 1	6 30 a m	No. 10	3.45 p m
No 3	3 46 a m	No. 4	12 00 a m
No 43	4 05 a m	No. 44	11:10 a m
No. 45	3 05 p m	No. 42	10:15 p m
No 5	2 35 p m	No. 2	11.55 p m
No 71 frt	5 45 a m	No. 70 frt	6:50 p m
TO TOLEDO		FROM TOLEDO	
No 46	6 25 a m	No 43	3:50 a m
No 44	11 16 a m	No 45	1 55 p m
No 42	10 22 p m	No 41	9:00 p m
No 48 Ething.	3 15 p m	No. 47 Ething.	10:55 a m
TO QUINCY, ETC		FROM QUINCY, ETC.	
No 49	4 30 a m	No 42	10:10 p m
No 45	3 10 p m	No 44	10:50 a m
No 1	8 07 p m	No 6	6:15 a m
No 47 Bluffs	6 45 a m	No 48 Bluffs	7:05 p m
No 71 Frt	1 00 p m	No 70 Frt	10:45 a m

Ind. Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE		DEPART.	
No 1	2 55 p m	No 2	11.15 a m
No 3	3:55 a m	No 4	12:20 p m
Freight	9.30 a. m.		

Terre Haute & Peoria.

EAST.		WEST.	
No 2	2 55 p m	No 1	11:45 a m
No 4	7 00 a m	No 3 arr.	7 00 p m
No 6 arv	9 00 p m	No 7 frt arv.	4.50 p m
No 8 frt leav	4 40 a m	No 9 frt	4 30 a m
No 10 arv	3 50 p m	No 5 leav	6 30 a m

Illinois Central.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 2 pass	9:10 a m	No 1 pass	5:50 p m
No 4 pass	9 20 p m	No 3 pass	10.35 a m
No 12 accom	2 40 p m	No 13 frt	7.40 a m
No 14 freight	5 05 p m		
No 3 Champ'n Line, arrives	10.00 a m		
No 4 " leaves	3 15 p m		

Peoria, Decatur & Evansville.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No 2 leav.	3:10 p m	No 1 leav	11:00 a m
No 4 leav.	6 55 a m	No 3 leav	10.15 p m
No 14 frt	10 45 a m	No 11 fr't	6:05 p m

EXCURSIONS.

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

One fare excursion

ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION—Rate from Decatur for the round trip will be $5. This includes admission ticket to exposition. Tickets will be sold commencing Sept 3, on each Monday and Thursday following during exposition Tickets good going on date of sale only Good returning five days from date of sale

ST LOUIS FAIR—Round trip rate from Decatur, $4 05, including admission ticket to fair, except that on Tuesday, Oct 6, Veiled Prophet day, tickets will be sold for $3 55 round trip Tickets on sale Oct 3d to 10th, inclusive good for going passage on date of sale only Good returning up to and including Oct 12

UNVEILING OF GRANT'S MONUMENT at Lincoln Park Chicago, Oct 7—For this event the I C R R will sell excursion tickets on Oct 6 from Decatur to Chicago at one fare, good for return Oct 8

FOR the national encampment union veteran legion at Reading, Pa., Oct. 13 to 15 the P D & E Ry will sell excursion tickets from Oct 9 to 11 inclusive at one fare for the round trip good returning until Oct 19

TERRE HAUTE RACES—One fare for the round trip via I D. & W. Ry October 6, 7, 8, 9, 1891 For full information apply to any agent I. D & W Ry
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HARVEST EXCURSIONS—In addition to the Harvest excursions advertized for Sept 29 the P D & E. will sell harvest excursion tickets on Oct 14 at one fare for the round trip good for 30 days to points in the south and southwest on and reached via Queen & Crescent route or Louisville and Nashville R R To all points in Arkansas & Texas the rate will be one and one third fare The southern Interstate Exposition will be held at Raleigh, N C Oct 1 to Dec 1 One fare excursion tickets will also be sold to Raleigh and Goldsboro, N. C. on Oct 14.

GRANT MONUMENT—Unveiled at Chicago October 7th, half rates via the Illinois Central railroad Chicago's tribute to the memory of our great general the Grant monument—will be unveiled at Lincoln park, Chicago, on the above date with impressive ceremonies For the occasion the Illinois Central railroad will sell excursion tickets at one fare to Chicago and return from its stations as follows From stations within 150 miles of Chicago on Oct 6 and 7 From stations more than 150 miles from Chicago and within 300 miles, on Oct 6th All tickets good for return until Oct 8th, inclusive. For specific rates apply to your local Illinois Central Ticket Agent

EXCURSION—On Tuesday, Sept. 29, the P D & E Ry will run through coaches from Decatur to Iowa and Minnesota points. Special leaving at 11 50 a m Through coach and chair car to Kansas and Nebraska points over C B & Q and C & A R R at 10 p m connecting with all trains at Kansas City and St. Joseph Mo next morning at low rates For tickets call on I Penwell, Library block, or C O Judson, Union depot

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS—Sunday excursion to Bloomingdale Glens, Montezuma Sulphur Baths and all points on I D & W Ry, as far East as Marshall, on Sundays The I D & W Ry, will run a special excursion train leaving Decatur at 7 o'clock a m arriving at Marshall at 10 10 a. m and Montezuma at 9 47 a m returning leave Marshall at 5 30 p m and Montezuma at 5 50 p. m arriving at Decatur at 8 30 p. m. one fare for the round trip; fifty cents will be added for hack fare from Marshall to the Glens and return

For parties of five or more rate of $1 75 percapita will be made to Bloomingdale Glens and Montezuma. For further information call at city ticket office 142 East Prairie street or union depot ticket office. C G Dorwin, Gen'l Ag't

EXCURSION EVERY THURSDAY—Walters and Phillips' select excursions from Minier, Delavan, Bloomington and St. Louis to California, Oregon, Washington Territory and all Pacific coast points every week, personally conducted, quick time, lowest rates No change of cars from Minier, Delavan, Bloomington and St Louis to San Francisco. Cal, Los Angeles, Cal, and Portland, Oregon, via the Chicago & Alton and Union Pacific railways. These parties provide a comfortable, pleasant and economical mode of traveling overland to the Pacific coast This is our tenth year's experience in organizing and conducting Pacific Coast Parties and during that time have taken thousands of passengers so that we feel confident that our accommodations and personal conduct of parties are not equalled by any other agency. Bear in mind that our rates are as low as the lowest and that our conductors accompany each party through to California. We use Pullman's new Tourist sleeping cars, which are furnished same as a regular Pullman sleeper and for which a small charge only is made. Our managers are both accommodating and experienced, and are assisted by colored porters whose duties are to wait upon and assist our patrons For full particulars regarding rates routes, etc., please address,

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or L. M. WALTERS & Co.,
Same Address.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—You will take notice that the undersigned intends making application to the regular meeting of the city council on Oct. 19, 1891, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house numbered 250 North Water street, which said house and lot the same is situated thereon is owned by me McGinty, Decatur, Ill, Sept. 28, 1891.

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Publication Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MACON } ss

County Court of Macon County, to the November term, A. D 1891

Mary Haimbacher administratrix of the estate of Philip Haimbacher deceased,
vs
Frank Haimbacher, Peter Haimbacher Joseph Haimbacher, Sabastian Haimbacher, Anna Wachsenberger, Rosa Haimbacher and the unknown heirs at law of Philip Haimbacher, deceased.
} Petition to sell real estate to pay debts

Affidavit of the non residence of Joseph Haimbacher, Sabastian Haimbacher, Anna Wachsenberger, Rosa Haimbacher, and the unknown heirs at law of Philip Haimbacher, deceased, defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Joseph Haimbacher, Sabastian Haimbacher, Anna Wachsenberger, Rosa Haimbacher and the unknown heirs at law of Philip Haimbacher, deceased, that the said plaintiff Mary Haimbacher as the administratrix of the estate of Philip Haimbacher, deceased, has filed her petition in the said county court of Macon county, for an order to sell the premises belonging to the estate of said deceased, or so much of it as may be needed to pay the debts of said deceased, and described as follows to-wit. Lots numbered thirteen (13), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), and twenty (20) of S Powers' sub-division of lot number six (6) in the west half of the southwest quarter of section number twelve (12) in township number sixteen (16) north in range number two (2) east of the third principal meridian in Macon county and state of Illinois, and that a summons has been issued out of this court against you, returnable at the November term, A D 1891, of said court to be holden on the first Monday of November, A. D 1891, at the court house in the city of Decatur in Macon county, Illinois.

Now, unless you, the said non-resident and unknown defendants shall personally be and appear before said county court of Macon county, on the first day of the term thereof, to be holden at the City of Decatur in said county, on the first Monday of November, 1891, and plead answer or demur to the said complainant's petition, filed therein the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

Decatur, Ill, September 11, 1891
GEORGE P HARDY, Clerk
A G WEBBER, Complainant's solicitor

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening, on the east side of Broadway Street sewer, in the center of East Eldorado street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point by a regular curve east ward, to a point four feet north of the north rail of the north track of the Citizen's Electric Railway company, and which said sewer is to be constructed from said last named point eastward to the west line of Front street, together with all Y junctions, entrances man holes, catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto recording to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the city of Decatur, on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1891, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city, from the date hereof until five o'clock p m. of Monday, the fifth day of October, A D 1891, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the amount of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated, September 24th, A D 1891
L F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer, commencing at and connecting with the east end of the east branch of Union Street sewer, on King street, and which said sewer shall be constructed from its said beginning point, eastward, on the central line of said King street, to a point opposite the central line of the alley running north and south between North Main street and North Church street, and which said sewer shall be constructed from said last named point both north and south on the central line of said alley to points within twenty feet of the south line of West Marietta street and the north line of the right of way of the Wabash Railway company, together with all Y junctions, entrances man holes catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the city of Decatur on the 21st day of September, A. D 1891, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city, from the date hereof, until five o'clock p m., of Monday, the fifth day of October, A D 1891, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor materials and all other matters necessary to make the same

A bond or certified check in the amount of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid

All bids will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Dated September 24th 1891
L F SKELLEY, City Clerk.

Special Tax Notice.

In the matter of the levy and assessment of special taxes for the construction of a sewer, notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the city council of the city of Decatur, having ordered the construction of a sewer, commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the east side of Broadway Street sewer, in the center of East Eldorado street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point by a regular curve eastward to a point four feet north of the north rail of the north track of the Citizen's Electric Street Railway company, and which said sewer is to be constructed from said last named point eastward on said East Eldorado street, on a line four feet north of said north rail of said north track of said street railway company to the west line of Front street, in the city of Decatur the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk have applied to the county court of Macon county, Illinois for the levy and assessment of the cost of said improvement, except the street and alley intersections and crossings, upon the abutting property according to frontage, and an assessment or special tax roll thereof having been made and returned to said court the final hearing thereon will be had at the October term, 1891, of said court, commencing on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1891 All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

Decatur, Illinois, September 29 1891
SULLIVAN BURGESS,
JAMES L PEAKE,
L. P. GRAHAM,
Commissioners

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessment upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement The construction and laying of a certain sewer in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the west side of Broadway Street Sewer, at the center of Bradford street, which said sewer is to be constructed from said beginning point, westward on said Bradford street, to a point twenty (20) feet west of the east line of North Water street, together with all connections, Y junctions, catch basins, man holes, openings and adjuncts pertaining thereto, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special assessments is in the hands of the undersigned All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially assessed at the collectors' office, No. 247 North Main street, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof

Dated this 22d day of September, A. D 1891.
L F SKELLEY,
City Clerk.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon county, ss in the circuit court of said Macon county, to the September term, A D. 1891 Charles H. Marshall and Henry E Patrick, partners as Marshall & Patrick vs Lansford F. Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, No. 1361 in attachment Public notice is hereby given to you Lansford F Butler and Frank W Dempsey, partners as Butler & Dempsey, that the above named Charles H Marshall and Henry E. Patrick, partners as Marshall & Patrick, have caused a writ of attachment to be issued out of said court and levied upon your estate for the sum of $416.80 returnable on the fourth Monday of September Which suit is now pending. Now, unless you shall appear in said court to be held on the 28th day of September, 1891, in the circuit court room in the City of Decatur, in said county, and give bail, and plead as required by law, judgment will be entered against you, and the estate so attached will be disposed of as required by law.

Sept. 16. E MCCLELLAN, Clerk.

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23 — PEOPLE IN THE CAST — 23

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The sale of seats begins Thursday morning at the Grand Opera House Pharmacy

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the connection, construction and extension of Jasper street sewer and Broadway street sewer will be let to the lowest responsible bidder

That Jasper street sewer is to be extended and constructed from its present beginning point, about twenty (20) feet east of the brick culvert under the R I on the right of way of the Illinois Central railroad company, at a cost four hundred and forty (440) feet south of East William street, in a southwesterly direction to the east end of said brick culvert and said sewer is to be extended and constructed from the west end of said brick culvert in a southwesterly direction to the east end of the brick culvert across North Broadway street, between East Prairie street and East Main street into which Broadway street sewer now empties by means of which said sewers are to be drained, and said Jasper street and Broadway street sewer, shall be extended and constructed as thus connected from the west end of last said brick culvert to the north end of the brick culvert across East Main street between North Broadway street and North Jackson street, and said sewers are to be extended and constructed from the south end of last said brick culvert in a southerly direction to the north end of the brick culvert across East Wood street, between said Broadway and Jackson streets. A map showing showing the exact direction of said extensions of said sewers, is on file in the city clerk's office and of which said map is a part of the ordinance authorizing the extension, connection and construction of said sewers.

The contractor will be required to extend, connect and construct the extensions of said sewers together with all man holes, manhole covers, catch basins, inlets, sanitary appliances, connections, retaining walls and adjuncts pertaining thereto, in the manner specified in the ordinance relating thereto, which said ordinance was passed by the city council of said city of Decatur, on the 21st day of September A. D. 1891, and will be required to furnish all labor, materials and all matters necessary to extend, connect and construct said extensions of said sewers

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof, until five o'clock P. M. of Monday the nineteenth day of October A. D. 1891

A bond or certified check in the amount of One thousand dollars ($1000) must accompany each bid

All bids will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Dated October, 3rd A. D. 1891

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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HEAD

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MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY OCTOBER 6, 1891.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Regular convocation of Masonic chapter No. 21 R. A. Masons this Tuesday evening at 7 30 o'clock. All companions in regular standing are invited.
GEO. R. BACON, H. P. N. L. KRONE, Secty.

I O O F—Regular meeting of Decatur lodge No 65, this (Tuesday) evening at 7 30 o'clock, at Odd Fellow's hall. Installation of officers. Visiting brethren cordially invited to meet with us. Thos Kitchen, N. G.; I N Martin, Jr., Sec'y.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Fresh Oysters at Wood's.

Beautiful blankets very cheap at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet company.

For prompt messenger service, telephone No. 446.

Go to Miss E. Williams' for your stamping and embroidery materials.

Large assortment of FUR RUGS just received at Linn & Scrugg's Dry Goods and Carpet company.

John McAllister will repair your shoes on short notice. Give him a trial. Tabernacle building.

For the very best creamery butter to be had in the city call at P. Kempers. 801 North Water street.

You will find the best carpets, latest and most desirable styles, and lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs' Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

New line of stamped linens at Miss E. Williams'.

Henry Bros.' bakery is the place for a good meal or lunch. Bread delivered to any part of the city.

Novelties in gent's scarfs at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

New millinery goods at Miss E. Williams.

Get your clothes wringers and carpet sweepers repaired at 314 North Main street, Library block. All kinds of repairs.

Our fast black hose will not fade, and will outwear any that has yet been produced. LINN & SCRUGGS D. G. & C. Co.

Smoke the new Little Rose cigar.

Go to George P. Hart for all kinds of upholstering. Library block.

"Centemeri" Kid Gloves in Black and Colors, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co.

Less Than Cost.

At Bicycle headquarters, Library block, No. 114 William street, they are selling out at very much less than cost, not at cost, as some claim. See for yourself. They are going to quit the business entirely.

91 and Gem

are the best 5-cent cigars in Decatur. If you want a nice pleasant cigar smoke the 91 or Gem, manufactured by A. D. Holland.

To Housekeepers.

It is true economy to have a good carpet sweeper. It saves carpets, furniture, and above all it saves time and patience. The "Charm" or "Ohio" does all that. They are the best sweepers on the market and can be had at the Lytle & Eckles Hardware Company's store.

Pumps.

You can get all kinds of pumps of the Spencer & Lehman Co. Their prices are always the lowest.

Do You Want

Something fine in fruits go the I. B. Fritz, or telephone 346. He has a good supply and is selling cheap.

Apples

at May & Churchman's, 211 North Water street.

Pumps.

Wood pumps, chain pumps, and iron force pumps at the Spencer & Lehman Co.'s.

The Haines Piano

has given better satisfaction than any other. It is sold at Prescott's music house.

A. O. H. Ball

The third annual ball of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will be held at the Guard's Armory November 18, 1891. The best of music will be furnished. There is a good time awaiting for all who will attend

Notice.

The Decatur Gas Lt & C. Co. hereby give notice that all wiring for electric light must be inspected before closed in, as the said company will not furnish light to any persons until wiring has been inspected and found correctly and safely wired.

The Best.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigar, it is the best. Manufactured by Keck & Weigand.

What Do You Want

today in the way of groceries? We have a supply of everything. MAY & CHURCHMAN.

Sure to Get It.

You are sure to get what you order if you trade at May & Churchman's.

The Grand Opera

is the best 5 cent cigar in the city. Try it. KECK & WEIGAND, manufacturers.

"The Fast Mail" will be given at the opera house tomorrow night. It is a highly interesting play, given with elaborate and startling scenic effects.

Go and see the "Spectre Knight" presented next Thursday evening for the benefit of G. A. R. Memorial hall fund.

THE PRESBYTERIANS

HEAR WHAT THE CHURCH HAS DONE IN A YEAR.

The Annual Church Meeting—New Officers—Complete Reports from all the Different Branches—A Chair Presented to Dr. W. H. Penhallegon—Refreshments at the Close.

At 7 30 last evening the Presbyterian church was filled with members of the congregation who were assembled according to a yearly custom in a congregational reunion.

The profuse and tasteful floral decorations of asters, geraniums, marigolds and asparagus, with a background of palms, were a tribute to the taste of the decorating committee and gave the room a tropical air.

Rev. Penhallegon called the meeting to order and offered prayer. A. H. Mills was elected chairman and R. J. Simpson secretary.

Mr. Millikin was elected chairman of trustees for a term of three years.

The office of stated clerk was created and R. J. Simpson was elected to fill it.

The reports of the various boards read and societies were then taken up.

THE SESSION.

New members received from Sept. 1, '90 to Sept. 1, '91, 59; full membership at present time, 459; contributed by collections in the opera house, $562 85. Amounts sent by the treasurer by order of the session to the following boards: Home Missions $85.73; Foreign, $65; Church erection, $10; Disabled ministers, $60; Church erection, $10; Sustentation, $10; Aid for Colleges, $10; Freedman, $10; Synodical Evangelistic Fund, $31.12. Total, $281 85, balance in hands of the treasurer belonging to different boards, $31.80.

COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL SUNDAY SCHOOL

The College Street Chapel, said R. G Wells, superintendent of the Sunday school there, is the oldest child of the church. Its birth was not marked by the ceremonies of corner stone laying and baptism. These were reserved for her younger and prettier sister, Westminster Chapel. The greatest attendance at the Sunday school was, 160; the least, 50; the average 111; the amount of the collections, $32.50. There are 10 teachers, all members of the church.

TREASURER OF NEW CHURCH

W. T. Wells, treasurer of the new church, made this report:

Number of subscribers	208
Amount subscribed	$ 46,535.35
From Aid Society No. 2	100 00
From Blue Envelope Fund	589 49
Total	$ 47,225.24
Subscriptions Collected	$ 37,709
Paid Out	36,848
Cash on Hand	871
Balance to be Collected	7,500

The estimated cost of the church is $52,000 to $60,000. This does not include the organ or the carpeting of the church. The amount necessary to finish the church, provided all subscribed is collected, is $14,000 to $15,000. This will include all the details so far as the committee could ascertain. The changes from the original plans have been few and unimportant and have made but little difference in the cost.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Superintendent A. H. Mills of the Sunday school made this report:

On hand at beginning of year	$140 00
Collected since	141 60
Expended:	
Foreign Missions	$80 00
Home Missions	30 00
Sunday School Literature	15 00
Board of Erection	5 00
Missions for Freedmen	20
Education	20
Ministerial Relief Fund	20
Total	$140
Pledged to new chapel	$200.

CHURCH TREASURER.

Capt. R. P. Lytle, the church treasurer, made this statement:

Total amount received	$4,364 14
Total amount expended	4,795 87
Subscriptions unpaid	397 55
Deficit	34 58

TRUSTEES.

J. M. Clokey said the trustees had been in the real estate business for some time and he submitted figures as follows:

Liabilities:	
Taxes	$1,000
Debt on Main street lot	2,500
Indebted to the ladies (which they never expected to get)	500
Indebted to Mr. Mills on new lot (which perhaps he never expected to get)	6,500
Total	$11,400
Assets:	
Sale of old church	$3,500
Sale of North Main street lot	9,305
Total	$12,805
Balance	$1,405

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Mrs. W. H Penhallegon read the following report:

The Woman's Missionary society is but a young child in the family, a newcomer in the household, still wearing its nursery garments. It has not reached its first anniversary. It was born only 6 months ago, but is of pious parentage and of a long line of godly ancestors. Indeed, it claims the distinction of having had two mothers, Mrs. Woman's Home Missionary society and Mrs. Woman's Foreign Missionary society. Though small in size and tender in years, it is big with purpose, lofty in aim and ambitious to build up such a character as shall prove its right to live. It is scriptural in its methods in that it begins at Jerusalem, begins at home—is home missionary. It has a thought, a prayer, a helping hand for its less fortunate sisters in our own land. It is also scriptural in that its aim is world wide. Our benighted sisters in the dark corners of the earth, as they stretch out their hands and cry "come over and help us," awakens her sympathy and calls out her effects. Four hundred dollars is the smallest gift which she could conscientiously place upon the altar as her offering to home and foreign missions, and this sum is to be equally divided between the two great fields.

When this young daughter was born she invited all the ladies of the church to her christening and pleaded earnestly for their cooperation in her life work. About 60 responded to her call. Regular monthly meetings are held for prayer, conference, and a study of her great field.

Our good president, Mrs. R. G Wells, has proved an adept in administering the soothing syrup and the rest of us have rocked the cradle and done the etceteras of the nursery as best we could. The Master has honored us with his presence and we have great reason to thank God and take courage.

NEW CHURCH AID SOCIETY.

Miss Mabel Alexander reported that the society had existed since March 1, 1891. Its enrollment is 45.

Receipts	$1,251 09
Paid out	689 93
Balance	$561 16
Notes	$1,700 00
Estimated interested	73 08

Her report was received with the warmest applause.

Y. P. S. C. E.

Mr. Mathews stated that this had been an eventful year. The society had had much to encourage it and much to discourage it. They had tried to demonstrate that they were a branch of the church. He spoke of the chapel fund and the consecration fund. The society had lost by death two members. Had dismissed to other societies five members, added 15 new members and now has a membership of 81.

INTERMEDIATE ENDEAVOR.

Miss Flo Gassaway spoke briefly of the objects of the organization. It is small, but increasing and now has 50 members. She spoke of the business meetings, the socials and concerts. She concluded by saying that the society would celebrate its anniversary in the very near future and invited all to attend.

NEW CHURCH AID SOCIETY.

Miss Kittie Search reported that the second society had been organized a year and a half. They had promised to raise $100 and had done so. The meetings had been of mutual pleasure and profit to the members.

At this juncture H. W. Hill arose to his feet and undertook to raise a subscription to cover the deficit of $35 which was mentioned in the treasurer's report, and proposed to head the list with $10. W. T. Wells interrupted him with the remark that Mr. Penhallegon had promised that no collection should be taken at this meeting and to make his word good he moved that Mr. Hill draw his check for $35. Amidst the applause it was thought that the motion was carried.

FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Mrs. Gilbert spoke briefly of the history of the society and its work for the past year.

WESTMINSTER SUNDAY SCHOOL.

R. J. Simpson told of the origin of the new chapel idea at a meeting at Mr. Heilman's residence. He traced the Sunday school through its many up and downs, sometimes without a place in which to meet.

Attendance on first day	65
Average	37
Collections	$ 13 25

BOARD OF DEACONS.

I. D. Walker's report was entirely oral. He said the board had been hard at work to get the money for running expences without going after it. He offered sundry suggestions as to helps by which the congregation could assist them in their work.

NOT ON THE PROGRAM

The reports being finished Mr. Penhallegon was invited to the front of the room and his attention was called to a handsome massive oaken chair. This, A. H. Mills informed him in a few well chosen words, was a present to him from the ladies of his church. On a card attached to the chair was the following verse:

Come sit thee down and rest,
Throw aside all care,
"Let not your heart be troubled"
While reclining in this chair.
And if the God of sleep
Should over you cast a spell,
May you sweetly dream of the ladies
Who lovingly wish you well.

Mr. Penhallagon made a suitable reply.

Refreshments, consisting of coffee, sandwiches and cake, were served to the audience in their seats and after a short time spent in social conversation, every body went home feeling that another exceeding pleasant event was in the past.

DAN CONROY KILLED BY CARS.

He Falls Under the Wheels at Mowaequa and Dies of His Injuries.

Last Saturday evening Dan Conroy went to Assumption to visit an uncle over Sunday. Yesterday afternoon he had come as far as Mowaequa on his way back and in company with two other young men got on the Central accommodation train at that place, intending to ride home on the cars instead of inside.

The train had just started from the city and gone about 100 yards when Dan in attempting to gain the side ladder of a stock car from his position between the cars, fell beneath the wheels. Three cars passed over him and both legs were badly mangled. The left leg was almost mashed off near the body, while the right one was cut just below the knee.

The wounded man was taken to the St. Cloud hotel and Dr. Buck was summoned. He did everything possible for the comfort of the suffering man, but declared that Conroy would not live till he reached his home here, and accordingly refused to amputate the legs.

A telegram was sent here to his widowed mother. Though almost wild with her grief, she, accompanied by Dick Fitzpatrick and Charles Hackery, left for Mowequa on the 5:50 train to bring Dan home. They arrived last night at 10. All of Dan's numerous friends that heard of his misfortune were at the depot when the train came in. He was not taken off at the depot but the train stopped on East Condit street and from there Dan was carried on the cot to his home No. 1113 North Calhoun.

Already the house was full of weeping neighbors, waiting for his arrival. Many friends followed to the house, anxious to do anything that would render the man's suffering less.

Dan stood the suffering as only a man with a strong constitution can. No flinching or groaning during the entire time.

Drs. Catto & Jones were called. They amputated the legs, but Dan only lived a few minutes afterward, dying about 1:30.

During the past eight or ten years Dan has been employed by the Union Iron Works as a moulder and has been a good diligent workman, making the best of wages. Beside a mother he leaves a sister.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

Jacob Bear, an Old Settler, Dies After a Very Short Illness.

Jacob Bear, one of the oldest settlers in Macon county, and the man who gave the own of Bearsdale its name, died yesterday morning after a short illness. About 3 he woke his wife saying he had rested uneasily. An hour later he was stricken with paralysis. He was then unconscious for 3 hours and died at the end of that time.

Mr. Bear was 83 years and 10 months old. He was born in Pennsylvania and came to Macon county 39 years ago. He leaves a widow and six children, Mrs. Samuel Trautman, Bearsdale; Mrs. David Powder, Orrs, Pa.; Mrs. James Rankin, Monticello, Mrs. Albert Brightbill, and Albert and Josiah Bear, Decatur.

The funeral will be held today at 10 at Boiling Springs church. Rev. W. B. Allen will conduct the services.

Canned Goods.

we can sell you canned goods cheaper than you can buy them at any other store in the city. Come in and learn prices.

MAY & CHURCHMAN.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Miss Lou Gray is visiting at St. Louis.

Mrs. R. E. Pratt has returned to Chicago.

Mrs. C. A. Fletcher is visiting at St. Louis.

Miss Etta Hale will go to Chicago next Friday.

L. F. Abrams spent Sunday at Blue Mound.

Miss Jeanette Rogers leaves today for Terre Haute.

Miss Emma Williams returned yesterday from Chicago.

F. W. Haines will return Wednesday from Custer Park.

Mrs. Alice G. Evans is at Chicago for three or four days.

Misses Mary and Joe Cullen are at St. Louis attending the fair.

Mrs. Ed Heilman left last night for Cincinnati to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Stoddard arrived home last night from Sandusky, O.

Al Ferris has returned to the city after a tour of the western states.

Mrs. M. J. Dearborn is very sick at her home, No. 532 Central avenue.

A. Kennelly of Clinton was here Sunday, the guest of Wallace Weigand.

Charles Shrively has resigned his position as clerk at John Finn's grocery

Mrs. W. L. Bankson and daughter Nellie left for Cincinnati last night.

Mrs. P. Kilkeary and children are visiting friends and relatives at St. Louis

G. W. Swick will spend the day at St. Louis and see the Veiled Prophets.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powers leave today for Terre Haute to attend the races.

Mrs. C. A. Ewing and Miss Marian Ewing departed yesterday for Chicago

Mrs. W. R. Buckmaster and Mrs. R. J. Simpson go to St. Louis this morning.

Mrs. O. Z. Greene and daughter Miss Myrtle leave this morning for Chicago.

Frank Hunn arrived last night from San Antonio, Mex., to visit with A. Miller.

Dr. W. J. Chenoweth is in Chicago attending a meeting of the surgeons of that city.

Mrs. Wise, Mrs. Bundy, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Newell and Mrs. Browne, will attend the St. Louis fair this week.

Miss Hattie Ramsey departed yesterday for Kearney, Neb. She has been the guest of C. B. Turner and family.

Tim Childs went back to Ann Arbor yesterday to finish his studies in the dental department.

Misses Katie Simon and Emma Weigand are at Monmoth, Ill., attending the W. C. T. U. state convention.

W. F. Dennis, Sr., and wife are home from Peoria where they visited during the fair.

Miss Cora Woolington is very ill with typhoid fever at her home on North Church street.

Fred Grunendyk is at Chicago visiting his sister, Mrs. George Haworth.

Mrs. J. N. Tinkham and daughter Mrs. Blessett of St. Louis are the guests of C. Elwood and D. L. Bunn.

Mrs. John W. Warren and children left yesterday morning for Terre Haute to attend the races.

Miss Joe Disney left yesterday morning for St. Louis to visit Miss Lizzie Bathgate for a week.

Mrs. J. H. Epler and daughter Josie will go to St. Louis today to see the Veiled Prothets.

Mrs. W. F. Dennis, Jr came home yesterday from Peoria where she has been visiting during the past week.

Harve and Hugh Smith, with families, will leave Bethany today to reside at Spokane Falls, Wash.

Mrs. W. H. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. G. R Steele and J. C. Hostetler are at Chicago to attend the Masonic meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. John Putnam, who have been the guests of C. B Turner and family, left yesterday for Cerro Gordo.

Mrs. A. L. Lindamood and children, who have been visiting at Casnur returned home yeserday.

Mrs. E. A. Gastman arrived home yesterday from Chicago where she visited her children.

Levi Towl left last night for Muskegon, Mich., to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, William Boyer.

Mrs. Phil Wolf returned to Clinton last night. She had been the guest of Mrs. Houston.

Misses Anna and Myrtle Kirkpatrick arrived from Monticello last night to attend the Nicholson-Cresap wedding today.

Miss Anna Butler, who has been studying with Miss Anna Morgan of the Chicago conservatory, has returned to Decatur. While in Chicago Miss Butler gave recitations with marked success.

ANOTHER ABDUCTION CASE.

James Ellison Charged With Enticing Clara Mills from Home.

James Ellison, a one armed man who has been in the butcher business, is charged with abducting Clara Mills from her home at Assumption. She is 14 years old and the daughter of Henry Mills, a respectable teamster of that place. Clara was here to see Barnum's circus and in some way met Ellison. They have been corresponding since then. Saturday he went to Assumption on the 5:50 train and the girl came back with him that night. They have been seen together in the woods at least twice since then.

Yesterday morning the girl's father and Marshal Jordan of Assumption came to Decatur to look for the girl. Marshal Mason sent Officer Leech to find Ellison, and he was arrested late yesterday afternoon. Ellison said the girl wanted to leave home and that he had nothing to do with her coming. He did not know where she staid Saturday night or Sunday night. About 4 yesterday afternoon he went with her to the residence of Mr. Blenz, near Whitmer's brick yard, where she had a girl friend. When the officers got out there Clara and her friend had gone down town. The girl was found by her father last night at the home of Mrs. McIntyre, a married sister, on South Main street.

Farewell Party.

The Mission band of the Church of God gave a farewell party at the home of Ella Chandler in honor of Alice Tuttle, who will leave Thursday morning for Martinsville with her uncle, Rev. W. B. Allen. Those present were Ella Chandler, Ida Hugenberger, Lillie Chandler, Luther Hugenberger, Lotta Meeks, Alice Tuttle, Charley Shively, Joe Robinson, Charley Robinson, Julia Robinson, Lulu Garrow, James Garrow, Litta Garrow, Elmer Hugenberger, Lem Strain, Myrtle Straitor, Ivy Straitor, Maudie Foster, DeEtta Runyan, Ethel Merrit, Ada Low, Nellie Low, Mrs. Flemings and Mrs. Robinson. Refreshments were served.

Seal Garments

NOW ON EXHIBITION AT

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY, OCT. 2, & 3.

A representative of one of the largest and most reliable Fur Houses in the United States will have a

Grand Display of Seal and Fur Novelties

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Ladies intending to order a Seal or Fur Wrap of any description will have the opportunity of seeing the Best Line in the Country, at the very Lowest Prices.

Also Orders for Repairing Will Be Taken.

LINN & SCRUGGS

DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

Rather Unusual

To have a Benefit Sale just as the Fall Trade is beginning.

We Know It Is,

But the facts are unusual. The point is this: The wholesale firm of L. L. Ferriss & Co., of Chicago, (of which the F. & L. store is a retail branch) find that after filling all their orders for fall trade, they have so much on hand that unless the most lively hustling is done, they are in danger of being stuck.

How to Turn This

Surplus Stock into money became a very important question. It was decided to send them to the retail store at Decatur, put the prices down to a wholesale basis and give their friends in Central Illinois a big benefit. This is the origin of

Our Great Benefit Sale

Which is now in progress. We don't make any money this fall but we expect to make a great many friends. The prices we make will be

A Splendid Advertisement

And this will be our consolation. Call now and get your shoes for winter, while there are unbroken sizes. You can buy as cheap now as you can buy in January.

FERRISS & LAPHAM SHOE STORE

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

EAST MAIN STREET.

Grand Opening

—AT THE—

BONTON

Wednesday & Thursday, Oct. 7th and 8th.

A Reduction of from 25 to 50 cents on all trimmed hats during the opening. A great variety of styles in all the leading colors. A doll's hat given away with every child's hat. Call on us once and you will wish to come again.

MISS ROSA YOUNG,

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The Best.

Everybody wants the best clothing they can buy at the lowest prices.

Some people think they have to have their clothing made to order to get the best. It is a fact, and facts are worth money--That the finest clothing cutters in this country are employed by ready-to-wear clothing manufacturers.

The fine clothing we sell has a style and a finish that it would be hard for any merchant tailor to duplicate, and the prices--well, we like to talk prices. The Style of our Fine Suits and the prices at which they were offered will surprise you

Cheap Charley,

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Do you want to make

A CLEAR DOLLAR,

Try a pair of

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COLT SKIN CORDOVAN,

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Seven Widths, Five Styles,

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Agent for Leon Process Shoes.
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Grover's Anti-Bunion Shoes. Grover's Shoes

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Men's, Women's, Children's & Infants' Shoes, All Kinds.

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Manufacture the Celebrated

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For sale by all leading grocers. None better in the market. All kinds of mill feed. Highest Market price paid for wheat.

A CARD.

Miss Annie McDonald has gone to Chicago. Will attend the openings, get thoroughly posted, make her own choice selections of the new and beautiful in millinery. Will be at home Monday, October 5th, ready to receive orders. Having added largely to the space in our millinery department and with our full corps of skilful workers we propose to furnish a better class of millinery and at lower prices than can be found elsewhere, prompt attention and entire satisfaction guaranteed. Respectfully

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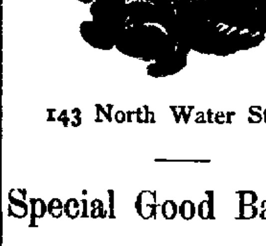

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Special Good Bargain in Dress Goods.

12 pieces 34-inch Striped Cashmere, 15c yard, Worth 25 cents.

Secure a dress while they last.

JAMES G. WALKER & Co

BOSTON STORE.

143 N. Water St.

HAVE you taken advantage of Scovill's easy payment plan? If not, why not? He sells everything to furnish a house with. 211 & 215 S. Park street.

SCOVILL'S furniture is the best, his prices the lowest, and he makes terms the easiest. 211 & 215 S Park street.

SCOVILL'S cook stoves are warranted to be the best, uses the least coal, bakes quicker and gives perfect satisfaction regardless of poor chimneys.

SCOVILL'S carpets rugs and curtains are just what you need. Sold on easy payments. 211 & 215 South Park street.

BABY must have one of Scovill's folding beds. They are the nicest and cheapest in the city. Sold on easy payments.

I AM going to Scovill's to get a heating stove. He has all styles and sells them either for cash or on easy payments.

G. W. SCOVILL,
211 & 215 South Park st.,
Complete House Furnisher.

AN INTERESTING DAY.

DAMAGE SUITS, DIVORCES, AND OTHER CASES IN COURT.

Judge Vail on the Bench Keeps Things Moving and Enters Many Motions—A Verdict in the Brewster Slander Suit—An Important Case Against the Wabash Railroad—The Chancery Docket Shows Divorces Granted.

Judge Vail disposed of quantities of business in the circuit court yesterday. There were damage suits and divorces of all kinds The verdict in the Colby-McGee slander case was opened. As stated in THE REVIEW it allowed the plaintiff, Mrs. McGee, $500. The costs go with that against the defendant, making $1.700 to $2,000 that he will be called on to pay.

THE BREWSTER DAMAGE SUITS were called. These are the suits of Mrst Ellen Jane Brewster and her son, Joseph R Brewster, against J. C. Robinson for $5,000 in each case. They alleged that Mr. Robinson, who is a brother of Mrs. Brewster, had intimated that they had killed old Joe Robinson, father of Mrs Brewster and Mr. Robinson. There was really no trial of the cases. Buckinham & Schroll appeared for the plaintiffs. The mother and son were in court. They told their story to the juries, a different jury being called in each case. The defense made no response, and the juries soon brought in verdicts, $500 for Mrs. Brewster and $250 for her son.

The jury in Mrs. Brewster's case was H. C. Wallace, Andrew Sailer, J. P. Dilling, Lewis Stick, J. A. Blair, Edward Phillips, Harry Fisk, Jr., H. C. Foster, J. J. Wallace, Henry Seamon, B. F. Bobo, T. B. Scott. The jury in Joe Brewster's case was C. H. Baker, Jefferson Cloney, C. L. Hadley, Levi Moore, W. H. Torrence, John Trowbridge, George Mertz, Michael Farner, J. M. Logan, John S. Stoy, Joseph Austin, Reuben Brownlee.

AGAINST THE WABASH.

The $5,000 damage suit against the Wabash railroad, brought by R P. Lytle, administrator of the estate of Harry F. Aldridge, was taken up in the afternoon. Harry F. Aldridge is the young Wabash switchman who was killed by being caught between two cabooses in the yards here last spring. This is to be an interesting case, as is shown by the array of legal talent. Buckingham & Schroll and Mills Brothers & Mills are for the plaintiff. George B. Burnett and B. C. Winston, of the solicitor general's office of the Wabash, and Outten & Page of Decatur, represent the railroad. A jury was secured by 5 o'clock, and then dismissed with instructions not to talk about the case nor listen to any one else who is talking about it, and come into court this morning to hear the opening arguments. This is the jury: Henry Seamon, L. Stick, Harry Fisk, Jr., W. H. Torrence, Jefferson Cloney, J. J. Wallace, J. A Blair, W. C. Foster, C. H. Baker, J. S. Stoy.

TWO PEOPLE'S CASES.

Henry Bough of Blue Mound, who was indicted last term for assault on Wallace Austin, was brought in by Bailiff Weitzel and locked up in jail. Last summer Bough knocked Austin senseless with a wagon spoke. He will have his trial next week.

Clarence Mitchell pleaded guilty to giving liquor to a minor and was fined $20 and costs.

CHANCERY CASES.

Alexander F. Mettlin vs J. F. Tuttle et al, chancery, decree pro confesso vs defendants not answering.

Ida A Davis vs Salem M. Davis, divorce, heard by court and decree granted.

William Andrews vs Jennie Andrews, divorce, heard by court, decree.

Hattie D. Search vs Ramay M Search, divorce; dismissed by complainant.

Diana Winter vs Nathan Winter, divorce, rule to answer by Tuesday morning.

Dwight McIntyre vs Warner J Compton et al foreclosure report of sale approved

Gertrude Locher vs James Locher, foreclosure, report of sale approved.

Frank W. Caldwell vs John P. Trimmer, foreclosure, report of sale approved. Stricken.

George Clifton vs S. R. Cooper, Belle Morran and Charles Morran, foreclosure, sale approved.

George W. Housman et al vs Elmira Housman et al, partition; sale approved.

C F. Storr vs Reuben Brownlee et al, foreclosure; sale approved.

Emilie Schmechel et al vs Edward Schmechel; partition, sale approved.

Nellie Fay vs James Veale, trustee, et al, foreclosure, sale approved.

Nora A. Rogers vs Peter C. Tryner et al, foreclosure, sale approved.

Fredericka Meinecke vs Martha Kuklinski, dower and partition; sale approved.

Mary C. Moore vs. Elias Moore, divorce and injunction; leave to answer extended till Monday.

Lincoln Steel vs Yates Steel et al, foreclosure, J. C. Hostetler appointed guardian; referred to master to report law and fact.

Elois C. Davis vs George H Davis, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Florence Brand vs James Brand, divorce, decree pro confesso

Eben Hays et al, vs John R. Hays, chancery, dismissed by complainant.

Matilda Keister vs Julius Keister, divorce, continued for service.

Forda Barber vs Henry Barber, divorce, continued for service.

Laura Gharrett vs Franklin Gharrett, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Levi Kenney vs C. F. Emery et al, foreclosure; decree pro confesso and referred to master.

Mary C. James vs Ross C. James, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Lizzie Murphy vs Edward Murphy, divorce; continued for service.

Lois R. Canfield vs John Canfield, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Deborah A. Sheeny vs Joseph H. Sheeny, divorce; decree pro confesso.

Eliza Montgomery vs. B. F. Montgomery, divorce; decree pro confesso.

COMMON LAW.

Jeremiah Slonaker vs Zachariah Bond, assumpsit; continued.

Frederick Delbridge vs Elva Wilson, trespass; continued.

Elva Wilson vs Charles Simons, ejectment; continued.

Elva Wilson vs August Linstrum, ejectment; continued.

Alexander M. Roger vs John R. Dougherty, et al. ejectment; continued.

Village of Blue Mound vs Michael and Thomas Doran, appeal; two cases continued by agreement.

Village of Blue Mound vs Henry Schwab, appeal; continued.

H. A. Rogers use of Harry Fisk, vs Wabash railroad, garnishee, settled and stricken.

Henson Brothers vs Cohen & Atlass, assumpsit; stricken.

J. L. Connelly vz Joseph Connegham, appeal; continued.

Clara E. McGee vs Louis Colby, trespass on the case; verdict of the jury issues for the plaintiff, and damages assessed at $500.

Jasper Veech vs Christopher Funk, attachment; default, judgment for $250.

J. H. Mauzy, use of etc., vs B. S. Sands, et al, debt; by agreement judgment against J. K. Warren for $160 and costs.

Uppendahl Bros. & Co. vs L. and S. Handley, assumpsit; damages assessed at $341.45.

James H. Cory appellant, vs Milton Johnson, admr., etc., appeal, dismissed for non-compliance with rule

Linn & Scruggs vs Frank Patterson, appellant, appeal, dismissed for non-compliance with rule.

Kingman & Co. vs W. W. Foster, assumpsit, default, damages assessed at $203 96 judgment.

WESTMINSTER CHAPEL.

Formally Named and the Corner Stone Laid With Suitable Exercises.

The Presbyterians of the city assembled at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the corner of Macon street and Haworth avenue and laid the corner stone of the Westminster Chapel of the First Presbyterian church. That is the name that has been given to the new mission. The pastor stated that the exercises were designed mainly for the purpose of showing what was being done and where the chapel was being located. This was the order of the preliminary service

Invocation.

Hymn, "Coronation," led by a quartet consisting of Misses Ebert and Keeler and Messrs. Brown and Montgomery.

Lord's prayer, in unison.

Responsive reading, I Cor., iii.

Scripture reading, pastor.

Corner Stone Deposit—The list of articles, as read by D H Heilman, was as follows A Bible, names of the pastor and trustees of the church, the superintendent of the Sunday school, the architect and the builder of the church, copies of the church papers, and of the city papers, and a program of the exercises

Hymn, "An Earthly Temple Here We Raise."

The ceremony of spreading the cement was participated in by the pastor, the trustees of the church, the donor of the lot, the building committee, the superintendent and pupils of the Sunday school and others. The stone was then placed in position and the formal announcement was made by the pastor. Rev. T. J. Johnson of the Hopesdale church offered a prayer.

Doxology in unison.

Rev. Penhallegon spoke briefly of the necessity for building the chapel at what may seem to be an inopportune time, when the purses of the members were not recovered from the congestive chill occasioned by the building of the new church The circumstances surrounding that portion of the town, indicated that it was either now or never. They had begun without money, but friends had come liberally to the front with donations of a lot and necessary funds They had never asked anyone for money, but he volunteered the information that Edward Powers was the treasurer of the building committee.

A hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord," and the benediction closed the services.

Religious Notes.

Rev H H. O Neil the new pastor of the Grace M. E church, preached his first sermons Sunday morning and evening to large audiences He is a fine speaker and his audiences were delighted with his sermons.

The new pastor of the Universalist church had large congregations Sunday Besides a full attendance of the members, there were many others present, and all were well pleased.

Rev. Torrey's first year of service ended Sunday. He preached an interesting sermon for the occasion. It was illustrated with selections from the history of the Israelites, and was a plain review of the work of the church its advancement, etc, during the past year. The church had communion at the close of the morning service

Sunday was communion Sunday at the Congregational church, but the service was postponed one week, because quite a number who will unite with the church by letter did not have the letters Several new members will join the church next Sunday

The Y. M C A meeting Sunday was well attended, more persons being present than there has been before for months Secretary Taylor states that the rooms are now open from 9 a m to 9 30 p m

"Brother Jake" Hoofstitler was in Decatur over Sunday. In the afternoon at the W. C. T U gospel temperance meeting he gave his experience at the Keeley institute where in a short time he lost the dreadful appetite he had fought against for 17 years He spoke of the patients and their friends He said 10 saloonkeepers were there. Nine said they had written to their wives to sell their saloons, they were not going home until they were disposed of.

Elected Delegates

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's club was held in the club rooms yesterday afternoon with the president in the chair The secretary being absent Miss Henkle was chosen secretary pro tem. The interest in the first month's work, as shown by the reports of the various divisions, was very marked. The association for the advancement of women will hold its annual congress at Grand Rapids, Mich, Oct 14, 15 and 16 Mrs. G. D. Haworth and Mrs. M M. T. Randall were elected delegates, with Mrs. R G. Wells as alternate. Fourteen women were admitted as members. The next regular meeting of the club will be an evening meeting on the 5th of November.

Essays in the Schools.

It has been the custom of late years to dispense with the reading of essays and delivering of orations at the high school by the senior class. With this year a new rule was enforced Each year now has essay writing and speaking, the senior class giving their essays before the whole school. The other classes give their essays in their respective rooms, each scholar being compelled to write four essays during the year. The rule went into effect yesterday and today Floyd Gastman will deliver the first oration.

Musical Recital.

A musicale will be given this evening at the residence of Dr. Catto for the benefit of the boy choir of St John's church. The best musical talent in the city will be heard. Fred A. Crittenden of the California Opera company, has consented to appear in musical specialties At the close of the musical program refreshments will be served. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged. The patrons of dancing will have their tastes gratified. The choir chapter gives this entertainment to aid in meeting expenses.

Fire at Arthur

A barn belonging to A. T. Ellars at Arthur was burned Sunday night. It is supposed that mice or rats were chewing matches, which were stored in the barn, and thus started the fire. Everything but a little hay and oats were burned. The loss was about $600, with no insurance.

Marriage Licenses.

Daniel Mawhinney, Weldon	29
Mrs. Claretta J. Stevenson, Argenta	27
Cyrus Jones, Decatur	21
Miss Lizzie Young, Decatur.	18
William H. Nicholson, Decatur	22
Miss Lota H. Cresap, Decatur.	20

STRAY SCRAPS

"The Fast Mail" tomorrow night.

T. L Holcomb has resigned his position as postmaster at Oakley.

Three plain drunks were each fined $3 by Justice Provost yesterday.

Mrs. F J. Sedgwick has rented the hall used by her last year and is now forming classes.

New show cases and fittings for the addition to their store are being received by Bradley Bros.

The ladies of St Patrick's church will have a festival some time between the 1st and 14th of November.

The W. C. T. U. meetings will begin at 2:30 on Thursday afternoon of each week instead of 3 o'clock as heretofore.

About 60 chickens were sent to St. Louis yesterday by Bartholomew & Judy, Churchman & Walser, and F. L. Stevenson.

W. J. Quinlan is moving into the new home which he recently purchased of M. M Martin on West William street.

Go and see the "Spectre Knight" presented next Thursday evening for the benefit of G A. R Memorial hall fund.

James Laux, who went down with the elevator at the St. Nicholas hotel, is able to be up and around again. He is out of danger.

Justice Hammer fined J. B Nooe $3 and costs yesterday. He could not pay it and was taken back to the Franklin Street station.

The disgraceful row of old shanties on Prairie street, from the Universalist church to Water street, is getting a new gravel roof.

Ottenheimer & Co. will have their grand opening tonight Goodman's band will furnish a fine program, which is printed in another column.

"The Fast Mail" will be given at the opera house tomorrow night. It is a highly interesting play, given with elaborate and startling scenic effects.

At Assumption the earthquake caused the earth to sink about three feet over the area covered by the coal mine, filling the entries and rooms, leaving the mine unfit for use

Mrs. Caroline M. Powers of this city has purchased the McGuire farm of a half section near Harristown, within eight miles of Decatur, for $22,400. The farm is one of the very best in Macon county.

Mrs Violet P. Roark, mother of Mrs. A. T. Grist, fell while milking Sunday afternoon at her home on East Jefferson street. She was carried into the house and it was then discovered that her hip was injured.

A heavy frost fell Sunday night, the first of the season. The boys "got onto" the frost early in the morning and consequently there were a number of unexplained absences in school and twice that many badly stained hands at home last night. The nuts did not suffer much.

A pretty and rich sight now to be seen in a number of cornfields is the large ears of corn seemingly to be on the top of the stalk of corn. The farmers are beginning to realize that there is more economy in cutting the tops of the stalks just above the ear, getting the best of the fodder and making corn gathering more expeditious, for the ears of corn are in plain sight and can not so readily be missed. This practice of cutting off the tops of the corn has been disused for many years in this part of the country

BUGLARS ABOUT.

A. Stecher s House Entered Sunday Night—Nothing Missed

Sunday night about 9 30 burglars forced an entrance in A Stetcher's house on West Main street Mr and Mrs. Stetcher were at church at the time. When they got home they discovered two bars of railroad iron in the house Examining the house they found the window sill of the dining room broken and destroyed. The window had been pried up The burglars, although alone in the house, did not take anything, so far as known There is no clue as to who the burglars were They were seen prowling about J Reeme's house next door, but they made no attempt to make an entrance, as the family was up at the time

Reception to Mr O Neil

A reception was tendered Rev. H H. O'Neil, the new pastor, last night at Grace M. E. church. The rooms were beautifully decorated with evergreens and roses Mottos occupied conspicuous places on the walls. A large crowd was present and gave the new pastor a warm welcome into the church Rev. H. H. O'Neil comes from the M E church of Danville with a good reputation as pastor. He has been pastor there two years and has brought the church up to a high standing. The pastor gave those present a welcome as warm as he received The reception committee introduced those present to the pastor and made strangers feel perfectly at home Those on the reception committee were Mr. and Mrs E H Jeffres, J. G. Badenhausen and Dr J. H. Eddy.

New Grocery Firms.

The grocery at 215 North Main street, which has been run by G. E. Woolington, is now owned by Cool Brothers, the firm being composed of L S. and I N. Cool The former went into the store last week. I N went yesterday morning. Both are now busy getting the place into shape and looking out for the wants of customers.

C. A. Towne, formerly in the general merchandise business at Harristown, bought the interest of H. S Logan in the store of Logan & Beik yesterday and took possession. The firm will now be Towne & Beik. Both gentlemen are known as hustlers, and as they already have a large trade, there is no doubt that they will do a big business. They will get many new customers.

Could Not Agree.

A great many people called at Brewer's bakery yesterday for pastry and were surprised to find it closed. A reporter in conversation with Mr. Brewer last night was told that it is closed permanently. The immediate cause of the closure is a misunderstanding between Mr. Brewer and his brother who has been in the firm. They found that neither could run the bakery as he wished and to settle it they determined that the only peaceable way was to stop the business. A. O. Brewer wishes it stated that it was not owing to a lack of patronage that they closed, as they have at the present time an excellent business.

Dependant Children.

Judge Nelson yesterday found that four Wyant children were dependant. They are Nellie, 5 years old old, Minor, 8, Bertram, 7, and Harry 5. They have parents, but the parents do not take care of the children. The girl was sent to the Macon County Industrial school and the boys will be sent to Glenwood.

Real Estate Transfers.

Christopher Ruthoski to William Peters, a lot in Powers sub-division; $700.

George F. Baker to George W. Handy, a lot in Baker Brother's sub-division: $1,100.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

Eli T. Dawson left last night for Chicago.

C. A. Pollock Wabash ticket agent is in St. Louis.

Mike Keating is firing the 153. Harry Ettinger is sick.

Frank Gogerty is visiting his sister, Mrs. Grayson, at St. Louis.

L E. Rodgers, Wabash operator, visited at Riverton last Sunday.

Tom Gilliland, operator at Moweaqua, was here Sunday on a visit.

Bert Holt, Illinois Central car accountant here, is visiting in Pana.

Ed Higgins is running the 18 now in the absence of the regular engineer, Billy Grosh.

Lou Baker is now slinging baggage on the cannon ball between Chicago and Kansas City.

Arthur Clary is officiating as Wabash messenger during the absence of Frank Gogerty.

Engineer W.E. Clark of the 378 is visiting at St. Louis. Engineer Barker is running in his stead.

M. L. Vaughn, Wabash despatcher here, is recovering from his recent attack of rheumatism.

W. S Shoemaker, formerly Wabash foreman of shops here, now of Litchfield was a visitor yesterday.

Charles Johnson, switch engineer, and Dick Sutliff, fireman of the 570, are laying off and attending court.

The 55 is laying in for a general overhauling. The 118 is doing the 55's work and the regular run of the 118 is taken by the 196.

Association Games Yesterday.

Athletics, 0; Boston, 4.
St Louis, 7; Louisville, 13.

Northeast Decatur.

Mrs. Deetz spent one day last week in Maroa.

The frost Sunday night nipped things generally.

Mrs. J. R. Gile is spending a week in St. Louis seeing the sights.

We are needing rain badly in Northeast Decatur. Nearly every one is complaining either of a dry cistern or well.

Mrs. C. A. Fletcher and little daughter went to St. Louis Monday to take in the fair, and see the Veiled Prophets.

Mr. and Mrs. Deetz and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welch went to Cerro Gordo Saturday evening and returned Sunday evening.

Dr. A D. Bridgeman will start for Quincy Tuesday to continue the selling of his books. He will be gone a month or more.

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